

SUMMARY OF THE WORLD'S EVENTS

IMPORTANT NEWS BOILED DOWN TO LAST ANALYSIS.

ARRANGED FOR BUSY READERS

Brief Notes Covering Happenings in This Country and Abroad That Are of Legitimate Interest to All the People.

European War News

The British admiralty office announced at London the destruction of the British battleship *Majestic* by a torpedo while the battleship was supporting the allied army on Gallipoli peninsula. The torpedo was fired by a German submarine. The official report says "nearly all the 759 officers and men were rescued."

The Princess Irene, a British auxiliary steamship, was blown into atoms with 425 men aboard as it lay at anchor in Sheerness harbor. The explosion apparently was internal. Its origin is marked by complete mystery.

Annihilation of two Italian companies is reported in the Vienna official statement. This announcement admits that the Italians have crossed the border, but reports the enemy repulsed when he reached the Austrian lines.

The Danish steamship *Betty* was torpedoed and sunk in the North sea by a German submarine. The members of the crew were landed at Shields.

A fleet of 19 French aeroplanes raided the Rhine valley of Germany. Two hundred bombs and projectiles were hurled upon German supply depots. At Ludwigshafen, in Bavaria, the great plant of the Badische aniline chemical works was destroyed by French aviators.

The American steamship *Nebraskan*, which was damaged by an exterior explosion off Fastnet Rock, arrived at Liverpool. The damage to the *Nebraskan* consists of a hole in her starboard bow 30 by 15 feet. The ship's captain is positive that the vessel was torpedoed.

Seven generals of the Russian army have been removed from their commands as a result of the recent Austro-German successes in Galicia.

A fleet of Zeppelin airships delivered an attack against the British works defending the mouth of the Thames, but were driven off by high-angle guns and British aeroplanes before they could do any extensive destruction.

The Italian army operating on the Friuli front crossed the Isonzo and is now before the town of Montefalco. Montefalco is 22 1/2 miles from Trieste.

Striking rapidly at the Austrian frontier positions, the Italian army is winning all along the front, according to an official report from General Cadorna, the Italian commander in chief, issued at the war office at Rome.

The British battleship *Triumph* has been torpedoed and sunk by a submarine in the Dardanelles, according to an official announcement made at London. Most of the officers and men were saved.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy has assumed supreme command of the army and navy forces and has left incognito for the Italian headquarters.

Successes in the fighting with Italian troops are reported in an official announcement made at Vienna. In the rear of Padon pass, northeast of Wurmlofa, the Italians fled when the first shots fell among them. On the Corinthian frontier the Austrian troops repulsed several attacks, inflicting heavy losses on the Italians. West of Ploeken the enemy fled, leaving his arms behind.

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The battleships *Georgia* and *Nebraska* were damaged during a gale on Narragansett bay, when they were driven into collision by the wind. Both ships were damaged.

A cloudburst between Tulsa and Oage, Okla., accompanying a terrific wind storm, resulted in great damage to crops, live stock, oil fields and railroads.

Mine No. 1 of the Smokeless Coal company at Johnstown, Pa., was blown up. There are nine men in the mine and all are thought to have been killed.

Ex-President Taft in an address at the annual banquet of the National Association of Manufacturers at New York severely criticized the Clayton act and the federal trade commission act as "detrimental to the business interests of the country" and denounced the leaders of the American Federation of Labor.

Miss Lottie Burlew, eighteen years old, of Colton, last week's graduate of the Liberty Center school, was drowned at Napoleon, O., when a row-boat was upset in the Maumee river.

The Dutch liner *Ryndam*, which sailed from New York for Rotterdam with seventy-seven passengers and a million-dollar cargo, was badly damaged in a collision fifteen miles southwest of the Nantucket shoals lightship with the tramp freighter *Cuneo*. The battleship *South Carolina* rescued 250 persons and landed them at New York.

James Morrison Darnell, until recently pastor of a church at Kenosha, Wis., was received at the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., to serve a three-year term for white slavery. He has been assigned to a clerkship.

The boxing bill, put to the final test in the house of the Illinois legislature, fell five votes short of a constitutional majority. The vote: Yeas, 72; nays, 67. A majority is 77. The senate last month defeated the Carroll bill.

Rear Admiral Beatty, commanding the "Red" or enemy fleet in the naval game, was declared the victor in his contest against the entire Atlantic fleet, commanded by Admiral Fletcher. The attacking ships passed into Chesapeake bay while the defenders crumpled fruitlessly about waiting for a dash against Boston or New York.

Governor Dunne's waterway bill passed the house of the Illinois legislature, after a day of hot debate, by a vote of 107 to 41. The bill now goes to the senate.

Reports received at Chicago from various sections of the United States show that in all industrial centers more men are being employed and at an advanced scale of wages.

Elmer A. Kiel, the St. Louis mayor's twenty-year-old son, and Miss Marie A. Budde, St. Louis society girl, "motor-eloped" into Chicago. A judge in the county court made them man and wife.

The state of Illinois sent out warrants from Springfield for an even \$1,000,000 to reimburse live stock owners for losses of cattle in the foot-and-mouth disease epidemic.

Washington

The proclamation of neutrality on the part of the United States in the war between Italy and Austria has been issued at Washington.

President Wilson declared that a proud distinction might fall upon the nations of the three Americas—North, Central and South America—that of showing the way to permanent peace. In an address at the Pan-American financial conference at Washington he predicted that great results would arise from it and that it might be influential in restoring peace to war-ridden Europe.

Foreign

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ENCAMPMENT OF STATE MILITIA

COLONEL PHILLIPS ANNOUNCES SCHEDULE OF THE MICHIGAN NATIONAL GUARD.

INSTRUCTION FOR COOKS

Sparta, Wisconsin, and Camp At Grayling Will Be Visited By Various Departments For Summer Practice.

Lansing.—The encampment schedule for the Michigan National Guard has been announced by Col. M. J. Phillips, acting adjutant-general. The two batteries of field artillery will go to Sparta, Wis., July 18 for 10 days; the cavalry, infantry and the signal corps to Grayling Aug. 12 for 10 days; the field hospital and two ambulance companies to Sparta Aug. 12 for 10 days, and the Calumet engineers to Washington barracks, near Washington, Aug. 3 to 14.

The medical officers of the M. N. G. will be sent to Sparta July 5 to 10 for a school of instruction; the officers and non-commissioned officers of the artillery to Sparta June 1 to 15, for school of instruction; and the cavalry officers to Fort Sheridan June 6 to 13, for a school of instruction, while the school of instruction for the signal corps officers will be held at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., June 5 to 15.

In addition to the schools of instruction, the enlisted cooks of the M. N. G. have not been overlooked. In fact, the national government is now offering the various state guards a special inducement in the way of cooking instructions, and a three months course of instruction is given any enlisted cook who desires to become more proficient in the art. A few of the M. N. G. enlisted cooks have already taken advantage of this opportunity and several more are expected to.

The only requirements are that cooks must agree to stay in the M. N. G. service for at least three years and the government will pay transportation and board while attending the school.

TO HELP FARMERS ON LINE

G. R. & I. Railroad Will Build Up Five Demonstration Farms.

Grand Rapids.—The Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad has arrived at a definite conclusion relative to its plans to build up and maintain five demonstration farms along its road north of this city. W. P. Hartman, of New York, the new agricultural and industrial agent of the road, announces that the road has completed deals for the land for all farms and that the work will start at once.

The plans of the company, it is thought, will be a help to the farmers along the road and especially in the neighborhood of the towns where the farms are to be located. The road has in mind personal help to any farmer in the territory touched who will give it a chance to be of service.

D. U. R. Appraisal Ready Soon.

Lansing, Mich.—Mortimer E. Cooley, of the University of Michigan, has notified the state railway commission, that the appraisal of the entire property of the Detroit United Railway will be filed with the commission between June 10 and 15. If the appraisal is approved, it will be made public July 1, according to Commissioner Cunningham.

While the figures represent the appraised value of the entire property, they are so prepared that the valuation of the one-fourth lines can easily be separated from that of the interurban lines.

Holstein Show Sets Record.

Lansing, Mich.—A world's record was set by the Lansing Holstein Cattle show when 42 full age Holstein-Friesians were entered for competition in the first class Thursday. The record is 12 ahead of the National Dairy show at Chicago, where 30 were entered.

The prime herds of the Michigan Agricultural college, Espanora farm and the Alfalfa Dale farm of G. H. Gillespie, of Mason, were among the exhibits. A permanent annual exhibition of Holstein-Friesians in Lansing is assured.

MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

Fred L. Keeler, superintendent of public instruction, has sent notice to all school boards to clean and repair schoolhouses during the summer vacation.

Promoters of the proposed Pontiac-Owosso electric line have asked the Pontiac city commission to grant a franchise permitting the line to enter Pontiac on either Oakland avenue, Baldwin or West Huron streets.

Talcott C. Carpenter, the oldest member of the St. Joseph county Bar association, and formerly business partner of Gen. William Stoughton, of civil war fame, is dead at Sturgis after a short illness, 80 years old. He formerly held the office of prosecuting attorney and many other civil positions.

MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS

The armory of Co. F, at Saginaw, was damaged \$500 by fire Monday night.

The Lenox hotel, owned by Fred Springborn, was entered Sunday night by burglars, who secured \$30.

A movement is on foot to motorize the Hillsdale fire department. This, it is planned, will be done inside of a year.

Fred Gill, of Saginaw, has been appointed member of the staff of D. J. Palmer, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R.

The Flint council has authorized the appointment of a committee of five to work on amendments to the charter.

The W. H. Acker private bank has been succeeded by the First National bank of Richmond, capitalization \$25,000, which opened its doors Thursday.

The proposal to issue \$50,000 in bonds for public improvements was carried by a vote of 138 to 29 at an election held at Munising Monday.

Clio electors at a special election Tuesday granted a franchise to the Michigan Light Co. authority to furnish light for the village for 30 years. The vote was 166 to 4.

John P. Smith, of Flint, was struck by a Grand Trunk flyer Monday night and instantly killed. He was working on the track at the time. He was 30 years old and a bricklayer.

The body of Wenzel Drobny, 72 years old, was found in a clump of bushes about 15 miles east of West Branch Monday. He had been dead about 15 days, and foul play is suspected.

After two days' session the jury at L'Anse au Loup in the case of the people vs. Frank Jymirski, accused of the murder of Jemima Dema, a Chipewyan Indian woman, March 16 last.

Livestock agents, authorized by a recent act of the legislature, were instructed in methods for combating hog cholera by the state live stock sanitary board Friday and Saturday.

According to Cashier and Trustee A. F. Lindke, of the defunct Akers bank, of Richmond, which closed its doors April 5, a dividend of 25 per cent will be paid depositors about May 28.

The safe in the grist mill at Concord was blown and the blacksmith shop of Fred Vedder robbed of \$25. The thieves stole a horse and buggy from the barn of Hodson Dobby and escaped.

F. E. Miller has resigned from the superintendency of the Ludington public schools after serving seven years. He is to be succeeded by R. H. McIntosh, at present science teacher in the Lansing high school.

Mrs. Jennie Voorheis, of Plymouth, mother of Wayne's assistant prosecuting attorney, Paul Voorheis, and a leader in the Michigan W. C. T. U., is dead. She had been at a Battle Creek sanitarium for some time.

Miss Adelia Reed of the Soo, who has been assistant state librarian for four years, has tendered her resignation. She will be succeeded by Mrs. Ada Shier, who has been one of the assistants in the library for several years.

Miss Charlotte Russell, who is ill as the result of fumes from a poison letter mailed to her, will resign as teacher of the Tilden school at Marquette and will return to her home near Saginaw. Federal authorities are investigating.

Most of the leaders have been engaged for the Y. M. C. A. county camp which will be held at Hemlock lake near Hillsdale commencing June 22, and about half as many boys have already taken places as can be accommodated.

Total cash assets of the Battle Creek Building & Loan association are now \$80, and not one of the many loans was properly made, according to Walter S. Powers, conservator, who has been investigating the affairs of the association.

A change of venue from Bay to Alpena circuit has been asked by Lee Detroit & Mackinac railroad, which has been sued by four concerns for alleged overcharges on timber during the past six years. All parties and witnesses live in Alpena, the company asserts.

Malcolm Cameron, 45, of Grant township, was killed when his motor car turned turtle at Popple, six miles west of Bad Axe Thursday night. He was returning from Harbor Beach with a new auto and lost control of the machine while going down a hill. His neck was broken.

Figures compiled by Secretary of State Vaughan show that 90,000 automobile licenses have been issued this year and it is expected there will be more than 100,000 licensed motor cars in Michigan on the first of next January. The department also has issued 6,151 motorcycle and 4,200 chauffeur licenses.

The copper mines of the Lake Superior district have brought their production up to such a point that the owners say it is hardly possible to increase it another pound with the present milling room.

The Park Place hotel at Sutton's Bay, Leelanau county, John Borgerson owner and manager, was destroyed by fire of an unknown origin Wednesday night. The \$10,000 loss is partly covered by insurance. Traverse City sent a fire engine and a company of firemen to assist in confining the fire to the hotel.

RESPITE GRANTED FIVE MEXICANS

HANGING BEE DID NOT TAKE PLACE AT FLORENCE, ARIZONA, PENITENTIARY.

BRYAN'S PLEA LISTENED TO

State Board of Pardons Acts After Legislature and Courts Had Refused to Grant Stay of Execution.

Florence, Ariz.—Secretary of State Bryan, acting at the request of General Francisco Villa and anti-capital punishment forces, won out Friday in the fight to prevent or postpone the execution of five Mexicans, all convicted murderers, on the gallows at Florence penitentiary.

At the last moment, the state board of pardons and paroles granted a respite to the condemned Mexicans. The respite is not to exceed nine weeks and the recommendation is made that the men be hanged separately on dates to be fixed by Governor Hunt. Meantime the Mexicans will continue their fight for a new trial or commutation to life imprisonment.

Renewed pressure from Washington is believed to have been brought to bear upon the pardon board. Governor Hunt also threw his strength into the fight on the side of the state department and further influence was exerted by opponents of capital punishment.

In the election last fall the state rejected an amendment to the constitution prohibiting capital punishment. The decision of the pardon board came after Judge W. H. Sawtelle, of the United States district court, at Tucson, not only refused to grant writs of habeas corpus asked for the condemned men by the Anti-Capital Punishment society, but denied a motion for leave to appeal to the United States supreme court from his decision. Leave to appeal would have acted automatically as a stay of execution.

TO HOLD CAMP AT LUDINGTON

Secretary Garrison Wins His Point and Students Will Be Trained.

Washington.—Secretary of War Garrison has won his point after all and there will be a student camp at Ludington, Mich., in spite of the earlier decision by Comptroller of the Currency Downey that such a camp could not be held.

Students will be received at the Ludington camp and put through six weeks training this summer. The war department will certify graduates to the president and their names will be eligible to commissions in the volunteer army in the event of war and the call for a volunteer army.

Commander of Submarine Arm.

Washington.—In line with his announced determination to develop the submarine arm of the navy and eliminate its present faults, Secretary Daniels Friday designated Captain A. W. Grant, one of the highest ranking officers of his grade, to command the Atlantic submarine flotilla and exercise general supervision over that branch of the service.

Captain Grant, who now commands the battleship *Texas*, will assume his new duties next month.

Eddor in Fair Premium Law.

Lansing.—An error has been discovered in the Odell bill making an appropriation of \$50,000 to help build up the premium lists of various agricultural fairs that may invalidate the entire law. Provision is made that the money shall be paid by the auditor-general of the state treasury. As there is no such office as the one mentioned in the bill, the error may deprive a number of fair associations of the state aid outlined under the terms of the measure.

TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

London.—The British battleship *Majestic*, another of the ships supporting the allied army on the Gallipoli peninsula, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine Thursday morning. Nearly all the officers and crew were saved.

Chicago.—Out of an estate valued at more than \$1,000,000, the former Princess De Chimay, who was Clara Ward, of Detroit, is bequeathed only \$1,000. It was learned by the will of her mother, Mrs. Catherine L. Ward-Morrow, of London.

Washington.—The federal industrial relations commission has concluded hearings which have been in progress more than a year, touching every phase of the country's industrial life, taking the investigators from coast to coast.

London.—Admiral Sir Henry Bradwardine Jackson has been appointed first sea lord of the admiralty to take the place of Admiral Lord Fisher, who resigned recently owing, it is said, to differences with Winston Spencer Churchill, then first lord of the admiralty.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Detroit Stockyards Quarantined. Hoof and Mouth Disease.

Live Stock.

DETROIT—Cattle: Receipts, 838; dry-fed butcher grades 10@15c higher cows, bulls and grassers steady; best heavy steers, \$8@8.50; best handy weight butcher steers, \$7.40@7.75; mixed steers and heifers, \$7.35@7.50; handy light butchers, \$6.75@7.35; light butchers, \$6@7; best cows, \$6.25@6.50; butchers cows, \$5@6; common cows, \$4.25@4.50; canners, \$3.50@4; best heavy bulls, \$6.25@6.75; bologna bulls, \$5.50@6.

Veal calves—Receipts, 390; market 50c higher and strong; best, \$9@10; others, \$7@8.75.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts, 751; sheep 50c@1 lower; lambs steady; best lambs, \$10.25; fair lambs, \$9@9.50; light to common lambs, \$6@7; fair to good sheep, \$6@6.50; culls and common, \$4@5.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,124; all grades, \$7.65.

EAST BUFFALO—Receipts of cattle, 3,875; quality considered, the market was about 10 lower; choice to prime steers, \$8.75@9; fair to good, \$8.25@8.50; plain and coarse, \$7.60@7.85; choice prime handy steers, \$8@8.50; fair to good, \$7.50@7.75; light common, \$6.50@7; yearlings, \$8.50@8.75; prime fat heifers, \$7.50@8; good butchering heifers, \$7.50@7.75; light do, \$6.50@7; best fat cows, \$6.50@7; good butchering cows, \$6.50@7; cutters, \$4.50@5; canners, \$3@4; fancy bulls, \$6.75@7; best butchering bulls, \$6.50@6.75; good killing bulls, \$5.50@6.25; light bulls, \$5@6.

Hogs: Receipts, 16,000; market 10@15c lower; heavy, \$7.75@7.85; mixed and yorkers, \$7.80@7.85; pigs, \$7.65@7.75.

Sheep: Receipts, 6,440; best dry-fed lambs steady, grassy kind slow; sheep 25@50c lower; top lambs, \$10.75@11; yearlings, \$8.50@9.25; wethers, \$8.25@8.50; ewes, \$6@7.

Calves: Receipts, 1,000; market strong; tops, \$9@9.50; fair to good, \$8@8.75; grassers, \$4@6.

Grains Etc.

DETROIT—Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.49; July opened without change at \$1.28, declined to \$1.26 1/2, advanced to \$1.27 and closed at \$1.26; September opened at \$1.24 1/2, declined to \$1.23, advanced to \$1.23 1/2 and declined to \$1.22 1/4; No. 1 white, \$1.45.

Corn—Cash No. 2, 76c; No. 3 yellow, 77c; No. 4 yellow, 75 1/2c.

Oats—Standard, 55 1/2@56c; No. 3 white, 55@55 1/2c; No. 4 white, 54c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, \$1.17.

Beans—Immediate and prompt shipment, \$3.05; June, \$3.10; July, \$3.15.

Cloverseed—Prime spot, \$7.85; October, \$8.30; prime alsike, \$8.

Timothy—Prime spot, \$3.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$18@18.50; standard timothy, \$17@17.50; No. 2 timothy, \$16@16.50; light mixed, \$17@17.50; No. 1 mixed, \$16@16.50; No. 1 clover, \$14@14.50; No. 2 clover, \$12@13; rye straw, \$3@3.50; wheat and oat straw, \$7@7.50 per ton.

Flour—In one-eighth paper sacks, per 100 lbs. jobbing lots: Best patent, \$7.90; second patent, \$7.70; straight, \$7.50; spring patent, \$8.10; rye flour, \$6.70 per bbl.

Feed—In 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, 25c; standard middlings, \$29; fine middlings, \$25; coarse cornmeal, \$32; cracked corn, \$33; corn and oat chop, \$30.

General Markets.

Strawberries—\$2.75@3 per 24-quart case.

Apples—Baldwin, \$3.75@4; Steele Red, \$4@4.50; Ben Davis, \$2@2.50 per bbl; western apples, \$1.75@2 per box. New Cabbage—\$2.75@3 per crate.

Bermuda Potatoes—\$6@6.25 per bbl and \$2.25 per bu.

Tomatoes—Florida, \$3.50@3.75 per crate and 75c per basket.

Southern Potatoes—Florida, \$6 per bbl and \$3.15 per bu.

Maple Sugar—New, 14@15c per lb; syrup, \$1@1.10 per gal.

Dressed Calves—Fancy, 11 1/2@12c per lb; common, 10@11c.

Potatoes—Carlots, 25@38c per bu in sacks; from stores, 45c per bu.

Onions—Texas Bermudas, \$1.35 for yellow and \$1.50 for white per crate.

Live Poultry—Broilers, 1 to 1 1/2 lbs, 22@25c; hens, 15 1/2@16c; No. 2 hens, 13@14c; ducks, 15@16c; geese, 10@11c; turkeys, 18@19c per lb.

Cheese—Wholesale lots: Michigan flats, 14@14 1/2c; New York flats, new, 17@17 1/2c; brick, 14 3/4@15c; Limburger, 16 1/2@17c; imported Swiss 29@30c; domestic Swiss, 19@20c; long horns, 16@16 1/4c; dairies, 16@16 1/4c per lb.

Honey—Choice to fancy new white comb, 14@15c; amber, 9@11c; extracted, 8@9c per lb.

Hides—No. 1 cured, 15c; No. 1 green 13c; No. 1 cured bulls, 12c; No. 1 green bulls, 10c; No. 1 cured veal kip, 15c; No. 1 green veal kip, 15c; No. 1 cured murrain, 12c; No. 1 green murrain, 10c; No. 1 cured calf, 15c; No. 1 green calf, 11c; No. 1 horsehides, \$3.50; No. 2 horsehides, \$2.50; No. 2 hides and No. 2 kip and calf 1 1/2c lower than the above; sheepskins, as to amount of wool, 50c@52.